

**Big-Ox Communication – Conference Call No. 32**  
**Meeting Minutes**  
Tuesday December 20, 2016

No agenda for this meeting

Council members (South Sioux City) Dennis Nelson and John Sanders joined the call.

**Short Term Plan updates:**

- Mersino is here today
- New diesel pump (so now we have a backup)
- Independent float system (which is independent from the pumps) will send alarms to the city staff, is something goes wrong or the pump is turned off.
- Tim Higgins checked this morning and all pumps are running and no instance of them turning off since Saturday night
- City did provide staff to watch over from 7pm-7am
- Odell did come out yesterday and everything checks out.
- Mersino to be checking VFD
- Tim Higgins getting prices for security fences and on a building (for security reasons)
- Issue with Plug leaking out air, this will be replaced tomorrow. All plugs will have pressure gauges by tomorrow for city to monitor.
- Lance will get an update on from Olson and Associates

**Long Term Update:**

All on track. Working on 3 easements and the design. (Lance would like to know who the property owners are.)

**Sampling Update:**

All the sampling results have been received and are updated on the cities website.

**Big Ox Update:**

- Won't be discharging this week
- Review the RFI? Has been reviewed and will submit a letter in response either by tomorrow or today
- Jason will also follow up on the odor scrubbers

No one on from City

**Public Relations**

- Discussed idea of replacing or continuing to use Tina, since Deanna B is no longer with us.
- Want to make sure there is a positive outlook when it comes to the media
- Lance wants a separate message to come thru Tina (with Team to review) regarding these points
  - Sampling results
  - Olson Associates timeline
  - Aaron results
  - Big Ox Odor scrubbers (when ordered and delivered)
- News and Media
- Want to make sure the correct messages are be said and delivered